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AUTHOR BOB WELCH TO SPEAK AT SPRINGFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

Author & columnist will speak on the writing experience

The Springfield Public Library will host author Bob Welch for a presentation and book signing on Tuesday, Dec. 2nd at 7:00 p.m.

Welch will read from his latest nonfiction work, *Pebble in the Water*, and discuss various aspects of the writing life. *Pebble in the Water* is drawn from the experiences encountered by the author in researching and writing an earlier work of nonfiction, *American Nightingale*, which was a finalist for the Oregon Book Award. In the words of Northwest author Jane Kirkpatrick, "*Pebble in the Water* is not a story about making it to the top of the ladder but about what it takes to decide to climb at all—and how doing so can touch the lives of others, and your own. This is a truly inspiring book."

The program is open to the public and will be held in the Library Meeting Room at Springfield City Hall, located at 225 5th Street.

What: Author Talk & Book Signing with Bob Welch

When: Tuesday, Dec. 2nd, at 7:00 p.m.

Where: Springfield Public Library Meeting Room

Additional Information: Contact Jenny Peterson, 726.2234